

IOWA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS PRESS RELEASE

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Recently, the Iowa Board of Medical Examiners took the following action:

Todd Ver Hoef, M.D., a 36 year old psychiatrist from Iowa City, Iowa, had his Iowa medical license reinstated. Dr. Ver Hoef's Iowa medical license has been placed on probation for a period of five (5) years under certain terms and conditions. The Board indefinitely suspended Dr. Ver Hoef's license on November 8, 1999. Dr. Ver Hoef was charged with engaging in unethical conduct when he, engaged in a sexual relationship with a patient, violated patient confidentiality and inappropriately prescribed controlled substances to a patient.

Frank L. Lamp, M.D., a 52 year old physician from Grundy Center, Iowa, had his Iowa medical license reinstated. Dr. Lamp's Iowa medical license has been placed on probation for a period of five (5) years under certain terms and conditions. The Board indefinitely suspended Dr. Lamp's license on March 19, 1997. Dr. Lamp was charged with the inability to practice medicine with reasonable skill and safety due to substance abuse.